

# The United States of America

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

## *Patent*

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This Patent is issued by the UNITED STATES, Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7599, as GRANTOR, to Haida Corporation, P.O. Box 89, Hydaburg, Alaska 99922, as GRANTEE, for lands in the Ketchikan Recording District.

### WHEREAS

Haida Corporation

is entitled to a patent pursuant to Sec. 14(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(b), of the surface estate in the following-described lands:

U.S. Survey No. 1647, Alaska.

Containing 2.74 acres, as shown on the plat of survey accepted June 28, 1937.

Tideland area according to the graphic representation on the body of the plat of survey for U.S. Survey No. 1647, Alaska.

Containing 1.79 acres, as shown on the plat of survey accepted June 28, 1937.

Aggregating 4.53 acres.

NOW KNOW YE, that there is, therefore, granted by the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, unto the above-named corporation the surface estate in the lands described; TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said estate with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said corporation, its successors and assigns, forever.

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EXCEPTING AND RESERVING TO THE UNITED STATES from the lands so granted:

1. The subsurface estate therein, and all rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, accruing unto said estate pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(f);
2. Pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1616(b), the following public easement, referenced by Easement Identification Number (EIN) on the easement map, a copy of which can be found in the Bureau of Land Management's public land records, is reserved to the United States. This easement is subject to applicable Federal, State, or Municipal corporation regulation.

(EIN 102 J) A combination of miscellaneous easements for an existing U.S. Coast Guard navigation aid known as Sukkwan Narrows Light located in U.S. Survey No. 1647, at latitude 55° 12' 06" N., and longitude 132° 50' 24" W. The easements include a circular site, having a radius of 25 feet, whose center is the navigation aid and the right of ingress and egress to the site. In addition, an easement is reserved for the airspace, through an arc, having a 600-foot radius, whose center is the navigation aid, from 199° true north, clockwise, to 72° true north. The uses allowed include those uses associated with the construction, reconstruction, operation, and maintenance of the navigational aid, the right to clear and keep the lands clear from any obstruction infringing upon or penetrating the airspace, the right to remove buildings or obstructions of any type which may infringe upon or extend into the airspace, and the right to prohibit use on and remove from the lands beneath the airspace any object which would create interference for users of the navigation aid. Use is limited to the United States Government and its authorized agents, contractors, and assigns; and

3. Title to all improvements used in conjunction with the operation of the navigation aid which are located upon or attached to the land is reserved to the United States, along with the right to remove the improvements in a reasonable manner, at such future time as it finds appropriate.

THE GRANT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED LANDS IS SUBJECT TO:

1. Valid existing rights therein, if any, including but not limited to those created by any lease, contract, permit, right-of-way, or easement, and the right of the lessee, contractee, permittee, or grantee to the complete enjoyment of all rights, privileges, and benefits thereby granted to him. Further, pursuant to Sec. 17(b)(2) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971 (ANCSA), 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1616(b)(2), any valid existing right recognized by ANCSA shall continue to have whatever right of access as is now provided for under existing law; and
2. Requirements of Sec. 14(c) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(c), as amended, that the grantee hereunder convey those portions, if any, of the lands hereinabove granted, as are prescribed in said section.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 17, 1948 (62 Stat. 476), has, in the name of the United States, caused these letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the Bureau to be hereunto affixed.

GIVEN under my hand, in ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
the THIRTIETH day of MARCH  
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and  
NINETY-NINE and of the Independence of the  
United States the two hundred and TWENTY-THIRD

/s/ Ann Johnson

By

Ann Johnson  
Chief, Branch of ANCSA Adjudication

Location Index for Recording Information:  
U.S. Survey No. 1647, Alaska, located in  
Sec. 12, T. 77 S., R. 83 E., Copper River  
Meridian, Alaska.

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